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# EVENING BULLETIN

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# KINNEY THREATENED

## SHEBA'S LETTER

### MORI SECRETARY SECRET MEETING

A letter declaring that Mr. Kinney and Mr. Prosser of the firm of Kinney, Ballou, Prosser & Anderson, retained as special counsel for the prosecution in the cases growing out of the Japanese laborers' strike, were marked for assassination was received by Mr. Kinney today.

The letter stated that the "next" to receive their punishment for their attitude in connection with the agitation with the Higher Wage Association would be the two attorneys named.

The communication is a practical threat of assassination and cannot be interpreted otherwise. It bears out the assertion made by Mori, who attempted to kill Sheba yesterday morning that "others are marked," and the editor of the Hawaii Shinto is simply the first that is to receive the vengeance of the Higher Wage Association followers.

It developed to day that Mori has been actively engaged as an officer of the Higher Wage Association since coming from Maui and that he has been serving as secretary of the numerous meetings that have been held recently at the Japanese school on Nuuanu street.

The officers of the prosecution have in their hands a large quantity of high wage documents, all in the handwriting of the man who attempted to assassinate Sheba, and showing conclusively that he has been actively engaged in the work of the association. They are expected to play an important part in the future developments.

Ready for Death.

That Sheba was resigned to the probable fate of death at the hands of the followers of the Higher Wage Association is shown by a letter that was sent by him last May to his friend, Mr. Prosser, of the firm of Kinney, Ballou, Prosser & Anderson. Mr. Prosser was not inclined to make the communication public, but it has such an important bearing on the attempted assassination of Sheba yesterday that it was prevailed upon to allow some of it to be printed, a second portion referring to purely personal matters.

The letter shows that Sheba was convinced beyond doubt that the campaign that was being waged by the Nippon Jiji and which had his as-

#### PASSENGERS ARRIVED

Per S. S. Hilsonian, Frederickson, from San Francisco, Aug. 4.—P. W. Ryder, Miss L. L. Ferguson, Capt. J. C. Lorenson, Miss S. de la Nux, Mrs. S. A. de la Nux, J. N. Hose, wife and child, G. Kleugel and wife, Mrs. H. A. Jaeger and child, Miss Faulk, S. Martin and wife, Wm. Werner, P. N. Kahakuluna, M. K. Nakulua, A. S. Mahanui, Miss E. A. Fletcher, H. Iyon, Miss E. Sanders, Mrs. C. H. Siemsen, H. Murray, C. Nelson, Manuel Soares.

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### SHEBA'S NAME IS TABU AT TRIAL

Mention Of Editor Is Carefully Avoided By Defense

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION WILL YET BE DWELT UP N

Tension During Proceedings Frequently Results in Personal Encounter Between Counsel—Hot Words.

The stabbing of Sheba yesterday was today mentioned but once directly at the conspiracy trial but there was at all times the impression that the affair was in the minds of those conducting and hearing the trial.

At the opening of the trial this morning, Lightfoot rose and said, "I ask at this time that the jury be instructed to disregard anything they may have heard yesterday on the street or otherwise in the matter of certain crimes that were committed yesterday, these having nothing to do with this case."

"Well," answered Kinney, with his characteristic little jerky rise. "I understand the jury were instructed at the start, and it is fundamental that the jury are to regard in their verdict only those things that are presented to them in the evidence and the law as laid down by the court."

"We shall claim that we can introduce the attempted assassination of Mr. Sheba here while in attendance on this court as a witness as we introduced on Page 3)

### MAKINO'S TEARS

"I tell you," said Makino this morning, "I am sorry for Sheba. It is true that he and I do not agree on this higher wage proposition, still at the same time, I am sorry that he has been attacked by Mori."

"I sincerely hope that he will recover. Mrs. Sheba and my wife are good aikanes, (friends), and I hope that he will be out of danger within a week."

#### ARRIVED

Wednesday, August 4.  
S. S. Hilsonian, Frederickson, from San Francisco, 2:30 p. m.

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### ST. LOUIS TO HILO

Information has been received at the Naval Station by Capt. Rees that the cruiser St. Louis will arrive at this port on her return from a cruise to Samoa Saturday, August 7. It is reported from other sources that the St. Louis will take on coal and proceed to Hilo. How long a stay will be made there is not known. The cruiser Buffalo will arrive in port on or about August 10.

## Tariff Bills Bread War Nearing Close Threatens Sweden

WASHINGTON, August 4.—The Philippine tariff bill passed by Congress in extra session is ready for the President's signature and will probably become a law today.

TARIFF COMMISSION. WASHINGTON, August 4.—Senator Beveridge today re-introduced the bill providing for a tariff commission. This bill has a growing number of followers and is intended to take the tariff out of politics.

### Slight 'Quake

SAN FRANCISCO, August 4.—A slight shock of earthquake was felt in this city at 10:28 this forenoon. No damage was done.

#### COLOMBIA'S PRESIDENT.

BOGOTA, Aug. 4.—Gonzales Valencia has been named as the President of the United States of Colombia for the unexpired term of President Reyes, who resigned while in Europe.

#### VISIT NAVAL STATION.

COWES, England, Aug. 4.—Czar Nicholas and King Edward today visited the naval station at Osborne.

MADRID, Aug. 4.—The government has officially proclaimed that the crisis of the insurrectionary movement is passed.

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## SEND ATKINSON FOR RUSSIANS

of sending a special representative will be not less than a thousand dollars. The expense of bringing the people here will not be less than seventy dollars per adult.

As a matter of fact, there is less enthusiasm among the people at large over the Russian proposition than any other that has been put forward of late. The support it gains is due to a sentiment that immigrants should be sought from all sources rather than any feeling of confidence in the outcome.

The Board of Immigration officers are finishing up the disagreeable ends of the latest batch of "Portuguese" failures that arrived by way of Vancouver. Some cannot speak Portuguese. A number of them will be sent back on the next steamer going north, and at least three are finding a comfortable residence in jail charged with stealing revolvers from the house where they were quartered. It is not stated whether they have done any work for the county in return for their vacation trip to the Paradise of the Pacific. The Board has dispensed with the services of Agent Silva, who is credited with soliciting these men.

Secretary Jack Atkinson may be selected as the representative of the Board of Immigration to go to Siberia in connection with the proposed Russian immigration.

The Board of Immigration is in session this afternoon to hear the report of the committee consisting of Mr. Atkinson and Mrs. Wodehouse, appointed to look into the proposals made by the Russian immigration promoter who recently arrived in this city.

The report of the committee will be favorable to Russian immigration on principle, and it will be up to the Board to accept or reject one of four propositions presented for getting the men here. It seems to be generally admitted that the Board should have some independent representative with the Russian promoter to pass upon the character of the immigrants and decide upon their probable adaptability as settlers in Hawaii. This is of course a desirable place, and a great many are ready to be sacrificed for the public welfare by being sent at public expense. Many of those connected with the Board, however, believe that Atkinson is the man to do this work, as he has been especially enthusiastic over the Russians and would do his utmost to pull the project through successfully if anyone can.

It is estimated that the expenses of sending a special representative will be not less than a thousand dollars. The expense of bringing the people here will not be less than seventy dollars per adult.

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## Billions of Gallons Will Be Developed

### KOHALA DITCH EXTENSION PLANS

Eight miles of new ditch and an elaborate system of storage reservoirs is the latest progressive move made for water development in the fertile district of Kohala.

Plans for this new work have been brought to a head during the last few days by Col. Parker and Mr. McCrossen, the moving spirits of the Kohala company.

The development will involve an expenditure of about a hundred thousand dollars, and is intended to impound the waters of the higher levels and eventually have a storage capacity of billions of gallons of water.

The new ditch construction will be through higher levels than the present Kohala ditch and will be probably known as the Upper Kohala Ditch. Reservoirs will be built as necessity demands. The work will be started immediately.

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